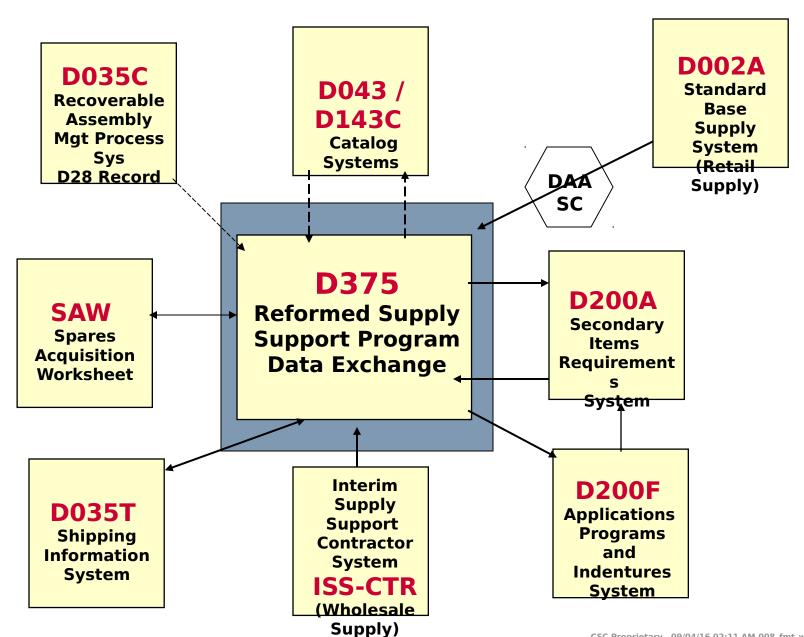


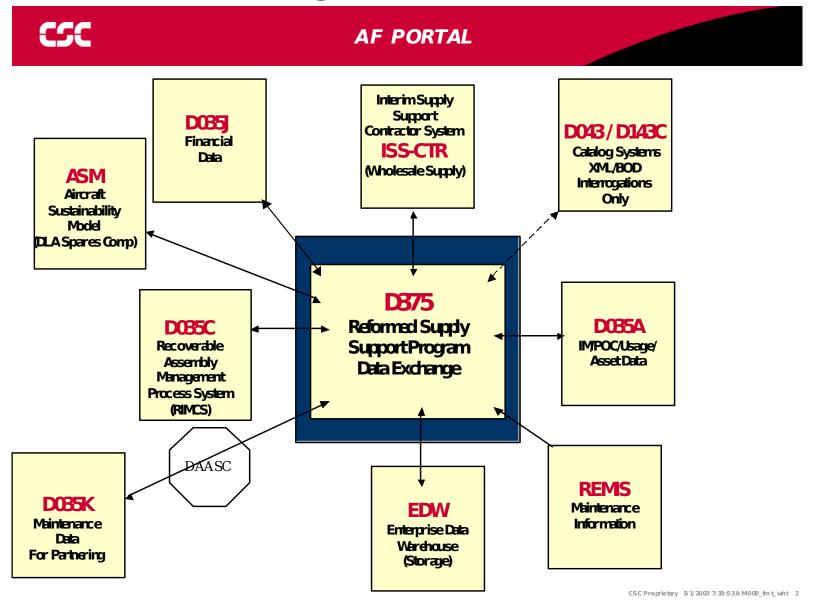


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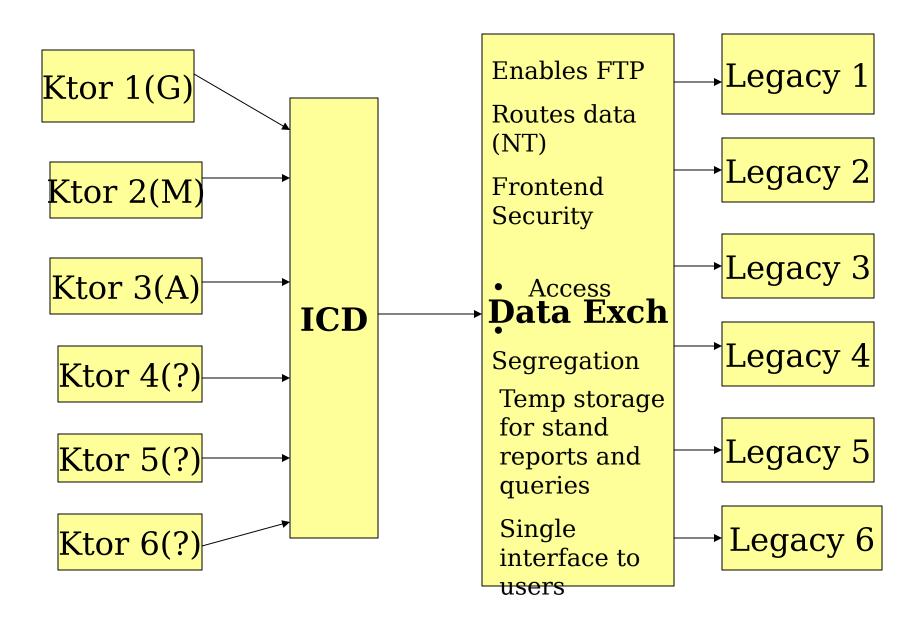




Data Exchange Future Interfaces

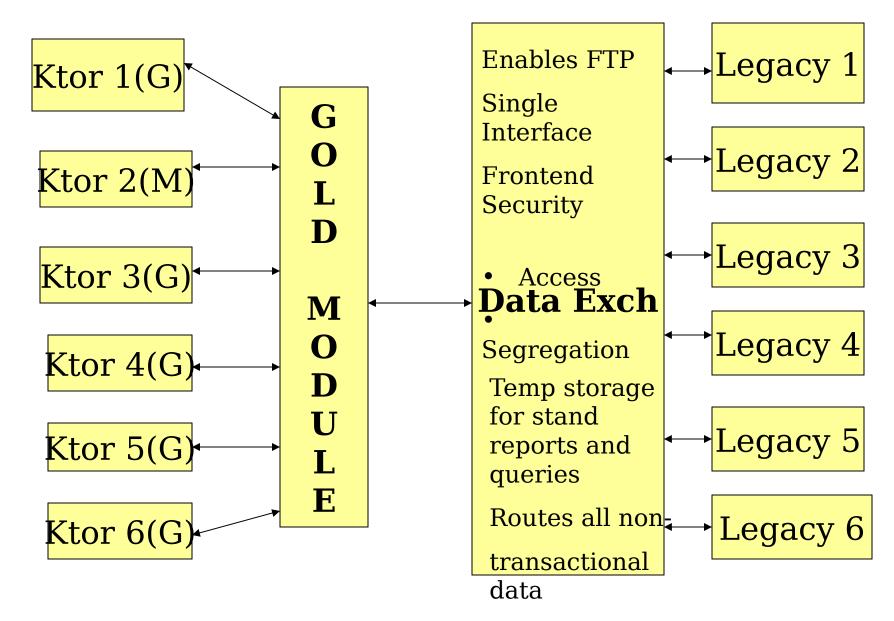


CSC RSSP Automated File Transfer





DE Automated File Transfer (better approa





DE VISION: (Visibility of Contractor Spare

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Only game in town

Direct access

D035A Data Segregation

Tool for SSIPT:

Web enabled, single interface

Conduit (batch upload, updates)

Segregation of data (K'tor, program)

Support query, reports, analysis

Reduced costs (ICDs and training)

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Portal & EAI

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Role of Data Exchange (diminishin

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Case for the DE We are much further down the road

- Single entry for contractor (Web enabled)
- More user-friendly GUI interface
- Role based security (GCSS-AF) in place
- Recognizes contractor ICP now
- Can segregate by weapon system now
- Narrower data set = better response time
- Can tailor weapon system reports at desktop
- Permits easy access to historical/archived data
- Permits automated initial uploads



Issues

- Policy
 - Lack of System Interface Policy
 - Legacy System Access Policy
- DE
 - No Contractor data permitted thru DE
 - Delays in modification to legacy systems
 - Changing requirements
 - Lack of data for operational testing
- Funding



Issue: Lack of recent HQ guidance on AF visibility of Contractor data

- Initial Guidance:
 - Jun 97 AF /IL Ltr ("Log Policy for C-17 Flexible Sust.")
 - "Contractor will use standard AF systems where feasible"
 - "When using non-AF system, the contractor will assure AF visibility and access"
 - Sep 97 AF/IL Ltr ("Log Policy for Future Systems")
 - "AF visibility and access to data is essential"
 - "Standard AF systems must be fully utilized"
 - "Where non-AF system required, GCSS-AF stand/arch will be used"
 - Apr 99 SAF/AQ LB 99-7 ("Product Support Partnerships")
 - "always be a requirement to interface contractor sys w. DOD systems"
 - "contractor flexibility to use best practices (in terms of data systems), yet still provide a uniform integrated presentation to user"



Lack of guidance (Continued)

- Recent Guidance: None that we are aware of
- Problem:
 - Weap Sys SPOs and contractors do not now feel obligated to share data across systems
 - SPOs satisfied with what contractor contractor tells him
 - Pilot sys OPRs object to contractor providing data in standard format (no contractual requirement, increased costs)
 - Legacy sys OPRs reluctant to accept batch input from contractor, and to provide contractor access to data
 - Requires mods to their system, firewalls, etc.
- Suggested Action:
 - AF/IL and SAF/AQ revisit policy and reissue guidance
 - Hold SPOs and legacy system OPRs accountable



Issue: Lack of recent HQ AFMC Support

- Perception: "HQ USAF initiative"
- Problem:
 - AFMC/LG:
 - Inconsistent policy
 - Reluctance to participate and commit resources
 - Delays in legacy system mods to accept contractor data
 - AFMC/DR:
 - Direction to/liaison with SPOs re. RSSP is nominal
 - Need DR staff support to counter LG staff resistance
 - Suggested Action:
 - Re-energize HQ AFMC support



Issue: Delay in Data Exchange FOC

- Slip approximately 18 months due largely to:
 - Indecision by legacy system OPRs concerning contractor data
 - No contractor data, will permit through DE, will permit direct feed
 - Will only permit item by item manual entry, read only access, etc.
 - Delays in modifying legacy systems to accept contractor data
 - Contractor ICP codes, batch FTP inputs, disagreements over edits, etc.
 - Dynamic (changing) requirements
 - Program needs differ
 - Changing role of contractor/AF relationship during sustainment period
 - Not clearly definitized requirements
 - Not prioritized and fully understood by all parties
 - Lack of operational data for production testing
 - Most pilot programs too new to have operational data
 - Difficulty in mapping contractor data to ICD